STATE OF MAINE SNOWMOBILE, ATV, WATERCRAFT ACCIDENT REPORT FORM

The Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife is responsible for documenting all reportable Snowmobile, ATV, and Watercraft accidents which have at least one of the following:

- 1. \$1,000.00 or more which includes all property damage. This report must be filed within 72 hours of a property damage only accident and can only be used to report a property damage accident. Property damage accidents resulting in less than \$1,000.00 which includes all property damage do not need to be reported.
- 2. Personal injury or death. Any accident that causes a death or injuries that require the services of a physician have to be reported by the quickest means to a law enforcement officer and investigated by a law enforcement officer. This 72 hour form can not be used for reporting this type of accident

MAIL TO: Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife Recreational Safety Division

WITHIN 72 HOURS FOLLOWING ACCIDENT

	284 State Street 41 State House Station			
	Augusta, Maine 04333-0041			
TIME		Oay of Veek AM □ PM □		
PLACE	Place Where Accident Occurred County	City/Town		
	Location Where			
	Accident Occurred Give name o	f road, body of water, trail name or ITS number		
	At Trail Intersection With			
	Vehicle # 1	Road, another trail Vehicle # 2		
Driver's N		Driver's Name Last, First, Middle		
	DAY YEAR Male Phone Number Female	D.O.B MO. DAY YEAR		
	if new address ddress, Number and Street	☐ Check if new address Current Address, Number and Street		
City/Town	State Zip	City/Town State Zip		
Year	Make	Year Make		
Serial Nu	mber	Serial Number		
Describe	Damage to Vehicle	Describe Damage to vehicle		
Estimated	d Cost to Repair	Estimated Cost to Repair		
Total Nun		hicles were involved, describe the additional vehicles on ms and attach to this report.		
As a resu	ult of this accident, was anyone summonsed to cou	·		
Name of	Court			
Charge(s)			
Did a Lav	w Enforcement Officer investigate at the scene of th	e accident? 🗆 Yes 🚨 No		
Name of		Department:		
(Please Print) (IFW, State Police, Sheriff, Local Police, etc) Was a policy of liability insurance covering the vehicle you were driving in effect at the time of the accident? □YES □NO □ UNSURE				
	FOR OFFI	CE USE ONLY		
Date Rec	eived:	_		

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1. Vehicle Type		9. Surface Conditions
☐ ATV	Auxillary Sail	☐ Calm ☐ Debris ☐ Packed snow
☐ Snowmobile	☐ Sail	☐ Choppy ☐ Dry ☐ Powder snow
☐ Motor Vehicle	Rowboat	☐ Rough ☐ Muddy ☐ Slush
Open Motorboat	☐ Canoe	☐ Very rough ☐ Ice covered
☐ Cabin Motorboat	Other (please list)	☐ Strong current
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2. Type Location	□	10. Personal Safety Equipment Used ☐ Approved lifejacket ☐ Helmet used ☐ None
☐ Marked and groomed trail	☐ Lake/Pond	
Unmarked and ungroomed trail	☐ River/Stream	☐ Lifejacket not approved ☐ Helmet not used
☐ Bridge	Ocean	11. Vehicle Safety Equipment
Open field	⅃ Road	☐ Fire extinguisher ☐ Outside lines ☐ Wet suit
Gravel pit	Other (please list)	☐ Throw bags ☐ Inside lines ☐ N/A
☐ Woods		
3. Type Accident		12. RV Safety Training completed? No Yes
☐ Collision with another vehicle	☐ Grounding	49 W 1
☐ Submersion	☐ Capsizing	13. Member of a Club No Yes
☐ Burns ÿ Fire or Explosion (fuel)	Rear end sideswipe	14. Pre-Accident Actions-Maneuvers By Vehicle
Fire or explosion (non-fuel)	☐ Head on sideswipe	☐ Cruising ☐ Water skiing ☐ Making right turn
Collision with vessel	Ran off trail	☐ Approaching dock ☐ Rafting ☐ Making left turn
Collision with fixed object	Rollover	☐ Tied to dock ☐ Racing ☐ Making U turn
Collision with floating object	☐ Train	☐ At anchor ☐ Towing ☐ Starting from park
Falls overboard	☐ Train☐ Animal	☐ Parked ☐ Being towed ☐ Slowing in traffic
	<u></u>	☐ Fueling ☐ Drifting ☐ Stopped in traffic
Falls in boat	Pedestrian	☐ Skidding ☐ Canoeing/Kayaking ☐ Following trail
Hit by propeller	Other (please list)	- ☐ Overtaking/passing ☐ Fishing ☐ Unknown
4. Object Struck		☐ Backing ☐ Hunting
Other vehicle (type)		☐ Operating on a public way
☐ Gate or cable	☐ Tree	Operating on a private way
Waterway marker	☐ Guard rails	Other vehicular action
☐ Bridge, pier, float or dock	☐ Fencing	Avoiding vehicle, object, pedestrian, animal
Floating object	Culvert headwall	Avoiding vehicle, object, pedestrian, animal
Pressure ridge	Embankment	15. Pre-Accident Actions-Maneuvers By Pedestrian
R.R. Crossing device	Building, wall	☐ Standing ☐ Pushing or working on vehicle
☐ Utility pole	Rock outcrop, ledge	☐ Skiing ☐ Other pedestrian action
☐ Poles, posts or supports	Other (please list)	☐ Skin diving/swimming ☐ Getting on/off vehicle
Fire hydrant/parking meter		☐ Does not apply ☐ Unknown
5. Others Burnered a Barrage		16. Apparent Contributing Factors
5. Other Property Damage State property	Other (please list)	Human
☐ Utilities property	Unknown	☐ No improper action ☐ Operating inattention
	- CHRIOWII	☐ Fail to yield right of way ☐ Operating in unfamiliar area
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